CERTIFICATION OF ENROLLMENT

SUBSTITUTE HOUSE BILL 1345

59th Legislature 2005 Regular Session

Passed by the House April 18, 2005 Yeas 95 Nays 0	CERTIFICATE I, Richard Nafziger, Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives of the State of Washington, do hereby
Passed by the Senate April 13, 2005 Yeas 42 Nays 2	the dates hereon set forth.
	Chief Clerk
President of the Senate	
Approved	FILED
Covernor of the State of Waghington	Secretary of State State of Washington

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AS AMENDED BY THE SENATE

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By House Committee on Appropriations (originally sponsored by Representatives Hasegawa, Kenney, Takko, Sells, Jarrett, Roberts, Ericks, Haler, Williams, Moeller, Appleton, Morrell, McCoy, Dunn, Kagi, McDermott, Santos and Chase)

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- 1 AN ACT Relating to eligibility for state financial aid for part-
- 2 time students; and creating a new section.
- 3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:
- NEW SECTION. Sec. 1. (1) The higher education coordinating board 4 5 shall develop a pilot project for the 2005-2007 biennium to assess the need for and funding requirements that would be necessary to expand 6 student eligibility for the state need grant program to include 7 8 students enrolled in four or five quarter hours or equivalent enrollment. Under the pilot project, students attending participating 9 10 higher education institutions and enrolled in four or five quarter hours or equivalent enrollment shall be eligible for the state need 11 12 grant as long as they also meet the other eligibility criteria for the 13 program.
 - (2) The higher education coordinating board shall select up to ten colleges and universities to participate in the pilot project developed under subsection (1) of this section. The higher education coordinating board shall require, at a minimum, that eligible institutions are participants as of the 2005-06 academic year in the

state need grant program. Colleges, including both community and technical colleges, and universities may apply to participate based on the criteria developed by the board.

- (3) The higher education coordinating board shall report to the higher education committees of the legislature by December 2006, on the results of the pilot project. The report shall include, at a minimum, the dollar amounts disbursed through the pilot project according to which institutions the students attended, geographic and demographic analysis of the participating students, an assessment of need for the program, including the number of students served, the number of students unserved, and estimates of costs for a permanent statewide program.
- 13 (4) The pilot project shall begin in the fall 2005 academic term and expire June 30, 2007.

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